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PART V.

Season Report for the Week ending with the 10th Saturday in 1923 (10th March 1923).

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A. M. on Saturday										Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains			
	This week		Last ten years' average for the corresponding week		Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923									
					This year		Average of past ten years		Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5					
1	3		3		4		5		6		7			
	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.		This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
BANGALORE.												Seers	Seers	Seers
Bangalore C. & M. Station ...	1	94	Information not furnished.											
,, City & Taluk ...	1	85	0	00	2	17	0	48	+ 1	69				
Hoskote ...	0	00	0	00	0	25	0	35	— 0	10				
Dodballapur ...	0	25	0	04	0	85	0	43	+ 0	42	Rice, 2nd sort	4·50	4·50	7·00
Nelamangala ...	0	00	0	02	0	43	0	32	+ 0	11				
Kankanhalli ...	0	00	0	04	0	29	0	38	— 0	09	Ragi	9·50	9·00	16·00
Magadi ...	0	06	0	03	0	78	0	43	+ 0	35				
Channapatna ...	0	10	0	00	0	56	0	17	+ 0	39	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Anekal ...	2	45	0	00	2	87	0	45	+ 2	42				
Devanhalli ...	1	47	0	00	1	85	0	55	+ 1	30	Kadale	6·00	6·00	7·00
Closepet ...	0	45	0	00	0	73	0	16	+ 0	57				
District average...	0	66	0	01	1	08	0	37	+ 0	71				
KOLAR.														
Kolar ...	0	00	0	00	0	76	0	73	— 0	03				
Bowringpet ...	0	00	0	00	1	32	1	06	+ 0	26	Rice, 2nd sort.	4·50	4·50	5·50
Chintamani ...	0	00	0	00	0	33	0	49	— 0	16				
Mulbagal ...	0	00	0	00	0	90	0	86	+ 0	04	Ragi	9·00	9·00	12·50
Sidlaghatta ...	0	00	0	00	0	40	0	67	— 0	27				
Chikballapur ...	0	00	0	01	0	55	0	72	— 0	17	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·25
Bagepalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	59	0	27	+ 0	32				
Goribidnur ...	0	00	0	00	1	10	0	45	+ 0	65	Kadale	4·75	4·75	6·00
Malur ...	0	00	0	02	0	56	0	60	— 0	04				
Srinivaspur ...	0	00	0	00	0	39	0	71	— 0	32				
Gudibanda ...	0	00	0	00	0	60	0	62	— 0	02				
District average ...	0	00	0	00	0	68	0	65	+ 0	03				
TUMKUR.														
Tumkur ...	0	00	0	34	0	40	0	62	— 0	12				
Maddagiri ...	0	25	0	30	0	32	0	97	— 0	65	Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	8·00
Chiknayakanhalli ...	0	13	0	10	0	37	0	56	— 0	19				
Sira ...	0	30	0	13	0	43	0	81	— 0	38	Ragi	9·50	9·50	18·00
Gubbi ...	0	00	0	17	0	23	0	43	— 0	20				
Tiptur ...	0	38	0	00	0	51	0	18	+ 0	33	Kulthi	10·00	10·00	10·00
Pavagada ...	0	14	0	22	0	29	1	01	— 0	72				
Kunigal ...	1	31	0	03	1	86	0	30	+ 1	56	Kadale	5·00	5·00	8·80
Koratagere ...	0	57	0	17	1	12	0	54	+ 0	58				
Turuvekere ...	0	00	0	10	0	00	0	49	— 0	49				
District average	0	31	0	16	0	56	0	60	— 0	04				

District and Station	Rainfall up to 8 A.M. on Saturday: This week	Last ten years' average for the corresponding week	Up to the end of the week from 1st January 1923: This year	Average of past ten years	Excess (+) or defect (—) of column 4 compared with column 5	Price of food grains in seers per rupee and market fluctuations in prices of food grains
1	2	3	4	5	6	7

		I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.	I.	c.
MYSORE.	Mysore ...	0	00	0	11	0	00	0	50	— 0	50
	Chamrajnagar ...	0	00	0	00	0	20	0	33	— 0	13
	Seringapatam ...	0	00	0	22	0	44	0	61	— 0	17
	Hunsur ...	0	13	0	09	0	13	0	72	— 0	59
	Yedatore ...	0	19	0	04	0	09	0	36	— 0	27
	Haggaddevankote ...	0	22	0	19	0	22	0	62	— 0	40
	Gundlupet ...	0	30	0	05	0	59	0	35	+ 0	24
	Nanjangud ...	0	38	0	04	0	38	0	67	— 0	29
	T.-Narsipur ...	0	25	0	00	0	25	0	47	— 0	22
	Malvalli ...	0	00	0	07	0	00	0	22	— 0	22
	Mandya ...	0	44	0	19	0	60	0	65	— 0	05
	Krishnarajpete ...	0	00	0	20	0	44	0	63	— 0	19
	Nagamangala ...	0	00	0	18	0	40	0	80	— 0	40
	District average...	0	14	0	10	0	29	0	53	— 0	24
HASSAN.	Hassan ...	0	32	0	04	0	32	0	76	— 0	44
	Manjarabad (Saklespur) ...	0	00	0	00	1	65	0	40	+ 1	25
	Arkalgud ...	0	00	0	00	0	94	0	52	+ 0	42
	Belur ...	0	00	0	01	0	00	0	44	— 0	44
	Channarayapatna ...	0	00	0	00	0	21	0	26	— 0	05
	Arsikere ...	0	69	0	02	0	92	0	65	+ 0	27
	Hole-Narsipur ...	0	16	0	04	0	45	0	29	+ 0	16
	Alur ...	0	00	0	00	0	43	0	54	— 0	11
	District average...	0	14	0	01	0	61	0	48	+ 0	13
SHIMOGA.	Shimoga ...	0	76	0	00	0	76	0	64	+ 0	12
	Chalmagiri ...	0	00	0	05	0	45	0	37	+ 0	08
	Honnali ...	0	00	0	06	0	00	0	45	— 0	45
	Shikarpur ...	0	24	0	00	0	24	0	19	+ 0	05
	Sorab ...	0	00	0	03	0	00	0	35	— 0	35
	Sagar ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	38	— 0	38
	Nagar (Kallurkatte)...	0	05	0	00	0	05	0	33	— 0	28
	Tirthahalli ...	0	00	0	00	0	20	0	37	— 0	17
	Kumsi ...	0	17	0	00	0	32	0	34	— 0	12
	District average...	0	14	0	02	0	22	0	38	— 0	16
KADUR.	Chikmagalur ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	43	— 0	43
	Kadur ...	0	90	0	00	1	00	0	44	+ 0	56
	Tarikere ...	0	17	0	00	0	24	0	56	— 0	32
	Koppa ...	0	00	0	00	0	15	0	61	— 0	46
	Mudgere ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	40	— 0	40
	Narasimharajapura ...	0	09	0	02	0	27	0	43	— 0	16
	Sringeri ...	0	00	0	00	0	00	0	38	— 0	38
	District average...	0	17	0	00	0	24	0	46	— 0	22
CHITALDRUG.	Chitaldrug ...	0	87	0	09	0	95	0	83	+ 0	12
	Challakere ...	0	72	0	06	0	81	0	60	+ 0	21
	Hiriyur ...	1	22	0	05	1	29	0	55	+ 0	74
	Holalkere ...	0	61	0	14	0	91	0	78	+ 0	13
	Davangere ...	1	06	0	02	1	27	0	17	+ 1	10
	Molakalmuru ...	0	00	0	07	0	00	0	60	— 0	60
	Jagalur ...	1	57	0	31	2	22	1	19	+ 1	03
	Hosdurga ...	1	79	0	05	1	70	0	44	+ 1	26
	Harihar ...	0	00	0	02	0	27	0	50	— 0	23
	District average...	0	75	0	09	1	05	0	63	+ 0	42
	Provincial average ...	0	29	0	05	0	59	0	51	+ 0	08

Price of food grains	This week	Past week	Past ten years' fortnightly average
	Seers	Seers	Seers
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·06
Ragi	10·00	10·00	13·04
Kulthi	10·00	10·00	11·15
Kadale	4·50	4·50	6·11
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Ragi	10·00	10·00	14·00
Kulthi	10·00	10·00	12·00
Kadale	5·50	5·50	6·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·50	4·50	6·22
Ragi	11·00	11·00	13·95
Kulthi	9·00	9·00	9·90
Rice 2nd sort.	6·00	6·00	5·00
Ragi	10·00	10·00	11·00
Kulthi	10·00	9·00	8·00
Kadale	6·50	7·00	6·00
Rice, 2nd sort.	5·00	5·00	6·00
Ragi	11·00	12·00	14·00
Kulthi	9·00	11·00	12·00
Cholum	10·00	11·00	13·00
Kadale	6·00	7·00	7·00

DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Public Health.

12. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.—

		Average.	*Current.*	
Prices of food grains.—Boiled rice (2nd sort)		4·75	5·17	Seers per rupee.
	Ragi	10·20	9·28	

Agricultural operations.—Ragi thrashing is going on. The standing crops are fair. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are sufficient.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing operations for sowing Vaisakhi paddy in Hoskote Taluk and sugar-cane in Channapatna Taluk. Weeding operations are going on in Devanhalli Taluk.

Seeds sown.—Sugar-cane in Bangalore Taluk.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; paddy in Bangalore, Dodballapur, Nelamangala, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks; mulberry in Devanhalli Taluk and Closepet Sub-Taluk, and potatoes in Hoskote Taluk; are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Ragi in all the taluks, sugar-cane in Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks; paddy in Nelamangala, Magadi and Devanhalli Taluks.

Estimated yield.—Ragi 8 to 12 annas in Magadi Taluk, 8 annas in Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks, and 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk; paddy 8 annas in Magadi Taluk and 6 annas in Devanhalli Taluk, sugar-cane 12 annas in Devanhalli Taluk.

Damages to crops.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. There was rain in Bangalore, Dodballapur, Aneka, Devanhalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Food stuffs are available. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. Public health is reported to be generally good, except for plague in parts of Hoskote, Nelamangala, Channapatna, Anekal and Devanhalli Taluks and relapsing fever is reported from parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Sugar-cane in parts of the Chintamani and Bagepalli Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Sugar-cane in parts of the Bowringpet, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivaspur Taluks and the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk, yield 12 annas. Avare and togari in parts of the Bowringpet Taluk.

Standing crops.—Vaisakhi paddy and sugar-cane are reported to be in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Prices of food grains stationary. Labour sufficient for cooly classes.

11. Public health is generaly good, except for plague in parts of the Kolar, Chintamani, Sidlaghatta, Goribidnur and Srinivaspur Taluks and in a village of the Gudibanda Sub-Taluk and relapsing fever in parts of the Bagepalli and Srinivaspur Taluks and in Malur Town.

12. Cattle healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.